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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS:	RICHARD A. GILL ET AL.)	ART UNIT: 2651
SERIAL NO.:	10/044,773)	ATTY DOCKET NO.: 2001-016-TAP
FILED:	December 31, 2001)	
TITLE	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RECOVERY FROM WRITING ERRORS DURING DATA STORAGE	

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one (1) month extension of time to respond to the Notice of File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated February 12, 2002, thereby extending the time period within which to respond to May 12, 2002.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-4545 in the amount of \$110.00. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment as a result of the filing of this paper to our Deposit Account No. 19-4545. A duplicate of this Petition is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,
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